

Phonics - Blending and Decoding Skills

2 - Lettered Words

in at of is it if an up us as

Block 1: 3 - Lettered Words

pit sat tip pat pin nip pip tan sit nap tin
ant tap pan its sip

Block 1: 4 and 5 - Lettered Words

pant spin snip pins spit snap ants sips spat taps span
sits tins snaps stint pants

Block 2: 3 - Lettered Words

him pet rat set hit ran hen and red mat dip
met hat cap hid cat

Block 2: 4 and 5 - Lettered Words

kept sent dent mend test mist maps hint damp
desk step spend stand hands crept stamps

Block 3: 3 - Lettered Words

hot bat hop lot fat top pot hat rug dug cut
sun fun run but bus jug tug hut mud gum

Block 3: 4 and 5 - Lettered Words

best milk help flag lost silk left clap lamp plan gift
crib held laps drop slot must mums tubs sums
drums clubs plugs bumps crust pumps

Blending is when you say the sounds one after the other eg. 'p' 'a' 't' and the child puts them together to form the word 'pat'.

Decoding is when you say the word eg. 'Red' and the child gives you all the sounds (starting from the initial, moving on to the middle and then the final sound) eg. 'r' 'e' 'd'.

<u>Sound</u>	<u>Story</u>	<u>As in ...</u>	
a	ants coming up arm	apple	aeroplane
b	batting a ball	boy	bed
c (k)	cuddly cat that sits on my lap	car	cow
d	beating on a drum	door	dream
e	opening an egg into a pan	empty	elephant
f	an inflatable fish that is deflating	farm	flower
g	water gurgling down the sink	girl	garden
h	out of breath after a race	hat	house
i	Inkey the mouse	insect	igloo
j	wobbly jelly	jam	jug
k	naughty kitten scratching my neck	kite	kettle
l	licking a lollipop	lamp	ladder
m	rub tummy twice when seeing food	money	monkey
n	an aeroplane is nose diving	nest	nose
o	turning switch on and off	open	office
p	puffing candles on a cake	pet	pin
q (qu)	quacky the duck	quilt	queen
r	angry dog pulling a rag	ruler	rubber
s	hissing snake	sun	snow
t	tennis game	toy	table
u	raising hands in an upward direction	upon	under
v	driving along in a van	vase	vest
w	wind coming in through window	water	winter
x (ks)	breaking things in a box	x-ray	fox
y	playing with a yo-yo	yatch	yoghurt
z	buzzing bees	zebra	zip